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### RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2004 in the above-identified application for Letters Patent. A one (1) month extension of the time period for response has been obtained by a Petition filed on even date herewith thereby setting the end of the response period on December 12, 2004.

There are no AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION.

There are no AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS.

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In summary, claims 1 – 5 have been shown to recite subject matter which is wholly novel and patentable over the prior art references of record. Reconsideration of the application and allowance of claims 1 – 5, in addition to the previous allowance of claims 10 – 20, are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



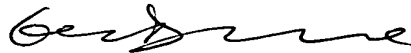
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